

## Message Text

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DOD/DSAA - COL. MARTIN(INFO)  
-----107630 280919Z /21  
R 271946Z JUL 77  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY TUNIS  
INFO SECDEF  
CINCEUR

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MASS, TS

SUBJECT: PROPOSED FMS SALE OF VULCAN AA GUNS TO TUNISIA

REF: STATE 153381

1. RE PARAS 3.A. AND 4 REFTTEL, CONGRESS WAS PROVIDED FORMAL CERTIFICATION ON JULY 22 REGARDING THE PROPOSED FMS SALE OF VULCAN ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS TO TUNISIA. IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 36(B) OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT, AS AMENDED, THE QUOTE LETTER OF OFFER SHALL NOT BE ISSUED IF THE CONGRESS, WITHIN THIRTY CALENDAR DAYS AFTER RECEIVING SUCH CERTIFICATION, ADOPTS A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION STATING THAT IT OBJECTS TO THE PROPOSED SALE UNQUOTE.

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2. AS APPROPRIATE, EMBASSY MAY INFORM HOST GOVERNMENT OF THIS CERTIFICATION TO THE CONGRESS.

3. EMBASSY WILL BE ADVISED IF ANY ACTION IS TAKEN BY CONGRESS WITHIN THIRTY DAY PERIOD OBJECTING TO THIS PROPOSED SALE. VANCE

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